

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

Plaintiff,

VS.

**ABRAHAM ALVARENGA and
GERMAN J. REYES, JR.,**

Defendants.

8:20CR336

ORDER

This matter is before the court on defendant Abraham Alvarenga's Unopposed Motion to Continue Trial [103]. Counsel needs additional time to determine if the matter can be resolved short of trial. For good cause shown,

IT IS ORDERED that the Motion to Continue Trial [103] is granted, as follows:

1. The jury trial, **for defendants, Abraham Alvarenga and German J. Reyes, Jr.**, now set for September 7, 2021, is continued to **October 19, 2021**.
2. In accordance with 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A), the court finds that the ends of justice will be served by granting this continuance and outweigh the interests of the public and the defendants in a speedy trial. Any additional time arising as a result of the granting of this motion, that is, the time between **today's date and October 19, 2021**, shall be deemed excludable time in any computation of time under the requirement of the Speedy Trial Act. Failure to grant a continuance would deny counsel the reasonable time necessary for effective preparation, taking into account the exercise of due diligence. 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(6), (7)(A) & (B)(iv).

DATED: August 23, 2021.

BY THE COURT:

s/ Susan M. Bazis
United States Magistrate Judge